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Amendments to the Drawings

Attached are informal drawing sheets containing new FIGS. 8-11. Support for these new drawings can be found, for example, at page 13, l. 7 through page 15, l. 6.

Figure 1 is a schematic diagram of a multi-layered structure 10. The structure is divided into five vertical sections. The top section contains a curved layer 22 with a central protrusion 24. Below this is a layer 40 flanked by two sections 44, which are further flanked by two sections 46. The bottom section contains a central rectangular block 50 flanked by two sections 54. Above block 50 is a layer 60 with a central protrusion 62. Below block 50 is a layer 70 flanked by two sections 72. The entire structure is supported by a base 74. Various other components are labeled with numbers 61, 64, 66, 68, 69, 80, 82, and 84.

FIG. 9

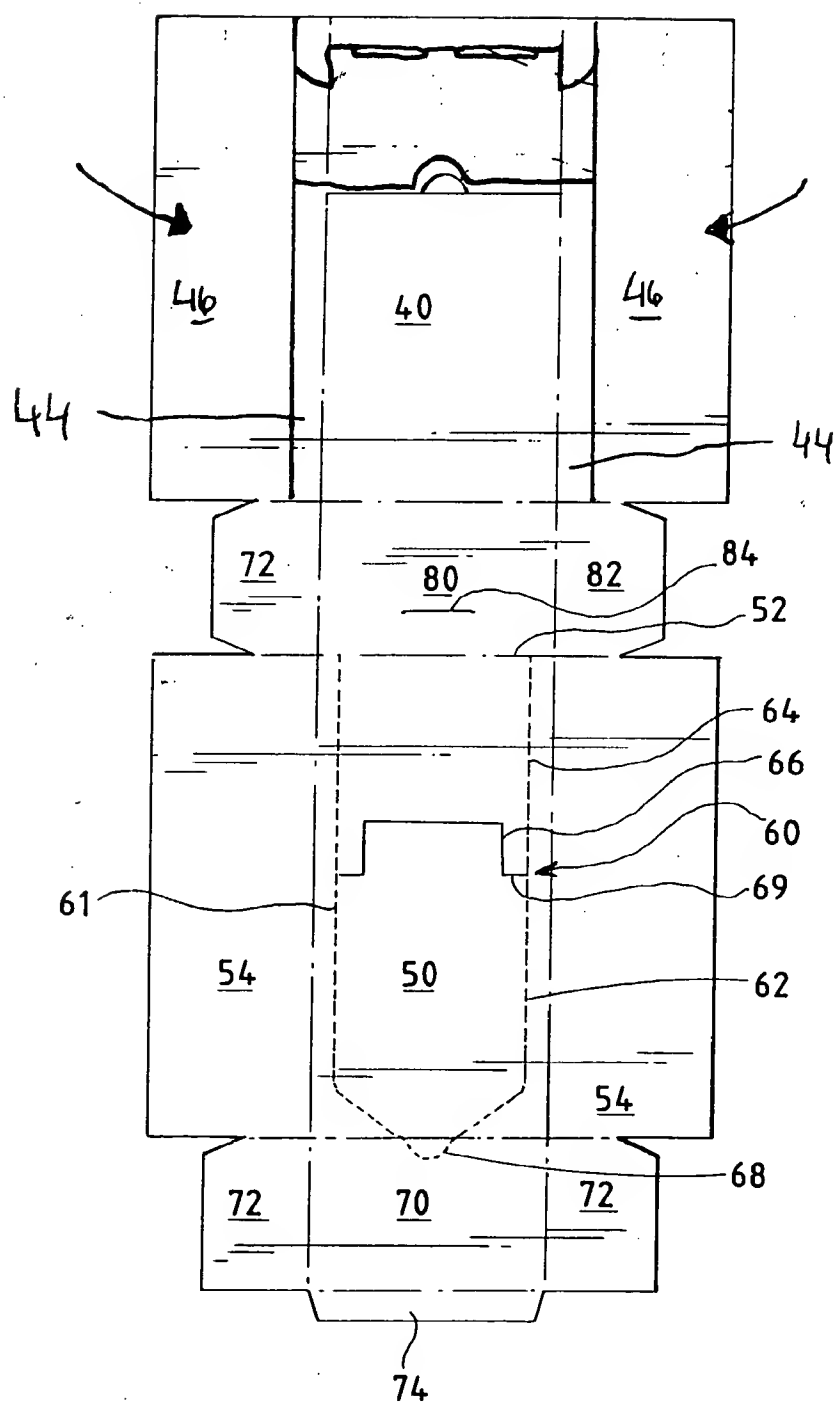
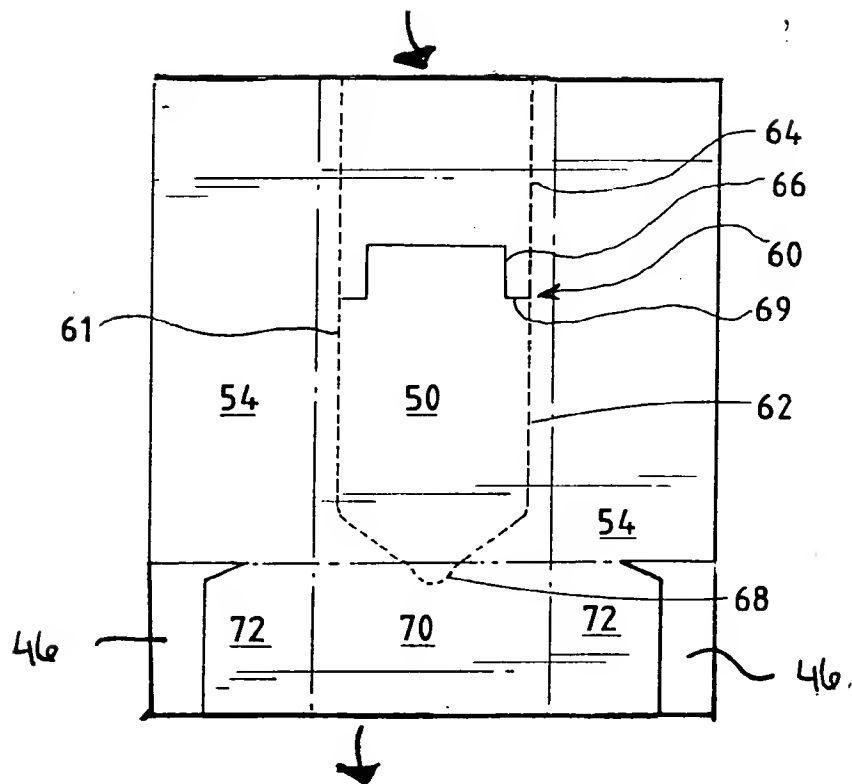


FIG. 10



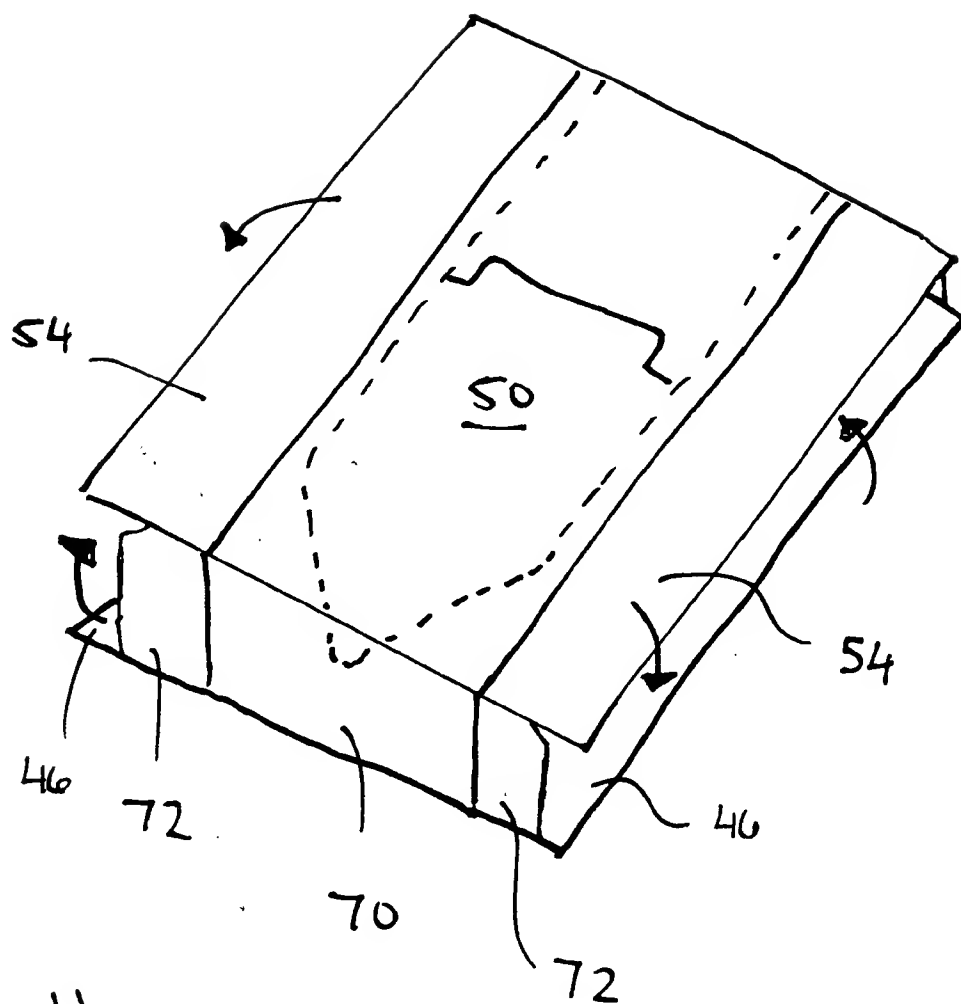


FIG. 11